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Serial Nos. Two.

Part B for March 1924.

SUBJECT

Elections to the Representative Assembly from Muhammadan Associations.

(P 3/4)

Sc) To the Secretary, Central Muhammadan Assn Bangalore.

Letter no 13 & 5th. 3. 1924.

With reference to his suggestion regarding postal facilities to the voters of the Muhammadan Associations, I invite reference to the special proviso under Rule 6 of the rules issued with Notification no P. 3488/Legis 14. 23. 47 & 27. 12. 1923 and state that no additional facilities can be granted.

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Routine Notes.

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22). From. The Secretary, Central Mahomedan Association, Bangalore.

Letter dated 25-2-1924.

States that there are more than 1500 Voters for the Mahomedan Interest & requests that Postal facilities referred to be granted to them.

Submitted for orders.

BVN. 27/2

To avoid any expenditure the Secretary suggests that Covers intended to reach the Returning Officer may be sent franked on Service. The Postal Rules do not contemplate this. (vide Rule 6 page 16 Vol II of the Manual).

RB 27/2. In the alternative it is suggested that postal stamps may be supplied at the expense of Govt.

The request is rather unusual. The cost of registering a letter is not very heavy & is not too much to pay for the privilege of Voting specially given. The Voter might be required to bear the charge.

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Refer to Rule 6

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CHIEF SECRETARIAT.
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From,
The Secretary,
Central Mohamedan Association
Of Mysore, Bangalore.

To,
The Secretary to the Government,
of His Higness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Local and Legislative Departments,
B A N G L O R E.

Sir,

With regard to the rules prescribing that the voting and declaration papers should be sent to the Returning Officer by Registered post for election of members to the Representative Assembly I am desired by the members of our Association to bring to your notice that it does not seem to be desirable to put the voters of the constituency of Muslim Associations whose number I understand is more than 1500 to any momentary expenses in sending their voting paper by Repistered post and the inconvenience incidental on that account.

I therefore beg to suggest that the envelopes intended for the purpose which will have to be sent to voters by the Returning Officer as prescribed in the rules may be superscribed "On Mysore Govt: Service" and franked by the Officer concerned. If this coarse is not permissible it is prayed that postal stamps may be affixed to such envelopes at the expense of Government.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Bangalore
25th Feb: 1924

Mohammed Ahmed Khan

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Date of issue 5.3.24

Signed by M R R Rao Lr.

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No. 13

To

The Secretary, Central Mahomedan Association, Bangalore.

With reference to your letter dated 25-2-1924 requesting that certain postal facilities be granted to the Mahomedan Voters, referred to, I am directed to invite your attention, to the special Proviso under rule 6 of the rules issued under Notification no. P. 3488/Legis 14-23-47 dated 27-12-1923 regarding Election of members by postal Votes, and to state that provision has also been made for the deposit of the Envelope in a ballot box provided for the purpose at the office of the Returning officer, & to state that further Enquiry is unnecessary. I have etc

RB 29/2

Secretary to Govt.

R.A. & Legis Depts.

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to state that a special facility has been made

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Report that your request cannot be complied with. No such facilities have been granted